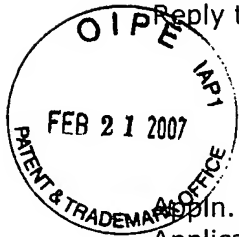


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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated November 16, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

- ☐ **Amendments to the Specification** begin on page _____ of this paper.
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